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Applicant: Kia Silverbrook  
Application Title: Nozzle Guard For A Printhead  
Examiner/GAU: Ly T Tran / 2853

Dated January 16, 2007  
At: Balmain, NSW  
Docket No. MJ85NPUS

**Petition to Accept an Unintentionally Delayed Claim under 35 U.S.C. 120 and 365(c)**

The Applicant hereby petitions to accept an unintentionally delayed claim under 35 U.S.C. 120 and 365(c) for the benefit of a prior-filed application in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3) and MPEP§1893.03(c).

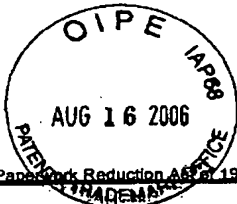
- With respect to 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3)(i), the reference required by 35 U.S.C. 120 and 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(2) is being concurrently filed herewith in the Applicant's Reply to the Office Action dated November 16, 2006;
- With respect to 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3)(ii), the surcharge set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(t) is being submitted herewith; and
- With respect to 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(3)(iii), it is submitted that the entire delay between the date the claim was due under 37 C.F.R. 1.78(a)(2)(ii) and the date the claim and the present Petition is being filed was unintentional.

Very respectfully,

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### REQUEST FOR REFUND

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, District of Columbia 20231

Dear Sir:

We refer to your petition decision letters dated June 13, 2006 and May 5, 2006.

The May 5, 2006 decision granted our Petition for "Withdrawal of Abandonment".  
The June 13, 2006 letter dismissed our "Petition for Revival of an International Application".

The Applicant respectfully requests that the following request for a refund be considered:

- a refund of the revival and extra filing fee (US\$1,530) paid at the time of the "Petition for Revival of an International Application" (February 28, 2006) as, at the time of petitioning, the Applicant was unaware that the petition to "Withdraw Abandonment" (June 09, 2005) would grant, and did not expect it to grant.

The reason the Applicant petitioned for these two different types of Petitions is as follows:

- The Applicant did not realise the time period to pay the basic national fee had not expired and that the US\$1,080 would be applied to the US\$300 basic national fee, on December 8, 2004.
- The Applicant petitioned for a Revival of an International Application as he had not heard back from the USPTO since sending the Petition to Withdraw Abandonment (i.e., 8 months had elapsed) and the Applicant wished for this application to be revived within the shortest delays.

Very respectfully,

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